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Attorney Docket No. 22789-XS

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In re Application of: Notice of Allowance: 08/15/01

ROSS et al. Group Art Unit: 1614

Serial No. 09/134,417 Examiner: V. Kim

Filed: August 14, 1998 Batch No. K67

For: **PIPECOLIC ACID DERIVATIVES FOR VISION AND MEMORY DISORDERS**

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Submitted herewith for filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is the following:

- (1) Transmittal Letter;
- (2) Copy of PTO Form 948, Notice of Draftperson's Patent Drawing Review;
- (3) Submission of Formal Drawings (photographs);
- (4) Nine (9) sheets drawings (photographs).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any excess to Deposit Account No. 14-0112.

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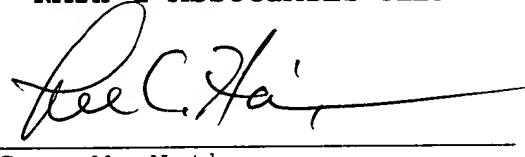
**ASSERTION OF SMALL ENTITY STATUS**

As of September 20, 2001, applicant now qualifies for small entity status under the 37 CFR § 1.27(a) and is entitled to pay U.S. Patent and Trademark fees as a small entity. Applicant is asserting eligibility for small entity status as allowed under 37 CFR § 1.27(c).

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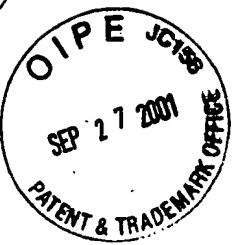


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**SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS**

Commissioner for Patents,  
Attn: Official Draftsperson,  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with the Notice of Allowance dated August 15, 2001, requiring new Formal Drawings to include changes required by the attached Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review, PTO-948, formal drawings are filed herewith. It is submitted that these drawings obviate all of the objections to the drawings in said Notice.

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